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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. Stevens (for himself and Mr. Murkowski) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 That notwithstanding any other provision of law, sec-
- 4 tion 6(c) of Public Law 94-565 (31 U.S.C. 6901(2)), as
- 5 amended by Public Law 98-63 (97 stat. 323), is further
- 6 amended by:
- 7 (1) striking the phrase "borough existing in
- 8 Alaska on October 20, 1976" and inserting in lieu

- thereof" any organized or unorganized borough inAlaska"; and
- 2) by inserting after "general statistical purposes." the following new sentence: "The boundary of any unorganized borough in Alaska shall be the same as the census area boundaries used by the Secretary of Commerce in the decennial census.".

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